



**UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS**

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UNIT 35601

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**SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL TO:**

foia@americanoversight.org

Dear Ms. Katherine Anthony,

**SUBJECT: YOUR FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST, FILE  
NUMBER DON-USMC-2022-008981**

This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request seeking records from the III Marine Expeditionary Force, regarding “the content of the stand-down discussions regarding extremism held by your U.S. Armed Forces service branch and any of your service branch components.” Your request was received by this office on 2 June 2022, and assigned the file number DON-USMC-2022-008981.

We have determined that none the requested records are exempt from disclosure under the FOIA, as implemented by the Department of the Navy in SECNAVINST 5720.42G. Accordingly, please find attached the subject record consisting of seventy-three (73) pages.

You have the right to seek assistance and/or dispute resolution services from the Marine Corps FOIA Public Liaison, Ms. Sally Hughes, at [hqmcfoia@usmc.mil](mailto:hqmcfoia@usmc.mil) or (703) 614-4008, and/or the Department of the Navy FOIA Public Liaison, Mr. Christopher Julka, at [Christopher.a.julka@navy.mil](mailto:Christopher.a.julka@navy.mil) or (703) 697-0031. You may also contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) for assistance and/or dispute resolution at [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov) or 1-877-684-6448. For more information online about services provided by OGIS, please visit their website at <https://ogis.archives.gov>.

There are no search fees associated with this request.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding this action, please do not hesitate to contact the Office of the Staff Judge Advocate, III Marine Expeditionary Force, directly at DSN 315-622-9429, or via email to [winston.clarke@usmc.mil](mailto:winston.clarke@usmc.mil).

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Per the delegation of initial denial authority from the Commanding General, III Marine Expeditionary Force, I am responsible for this determination.

Sincerely,

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